

# CARMAT announces the initiation of a call for public tenders (buyers or investors) as part of the receivership procedure

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CARMAT (FR0010907956, ALCAR), designer and developer of the world's most advanced total artificial heart, aiming to provide a therapeutic alternative for people suffering from advanced biventricular heart failure (the "**Company**" or "**CARMAT**"), today announces the initiation of a call for public tenders (buyers or investors)<sup>1</sup> as part of the receivership procedure<sup>2</sup> opened on July 1, 2025.

A notice will be published in "Les Echos" French newspaper by the judiciary administrator appointed by the Versailles Economic Affairs Court³ (AJRS – Maître Philippe Jeannerot), on July 4, 2025. The Notice will however be available in the digital version of the newspaper as early as July 3, 2025 in the evening.

People interested and willing to take part in the call for public tenders are invited to get in touch with Mr Valentin Laigneau (AJRS): valentin.laigneau@aj-rs.com

It is reminded that CARMAT's operations carry on during the observation period, and that CARMAT continues to endeavor to provide continuous support to patients who currently benefit from its Aeson® artificial heart.

Press releases will continue to be issued regularly as the Company's situation evolves and the proceedings progress.

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#### **About CARMAT**

CARMAT is a French MedTech that designs, manufactures and markets the Aeson® artificial heart. The Company's ambition is to make Aeson® the first alternative to a heart transplant, and thus provide a therapeutic solution to people suffering from end-stage biventricular heart failure, who are facing a well-known shortfall in available human grafts. The world's first physiological artificial heart that is highly hemocompatible, pulsatile and self-regulated, Aeson® could save, every year, the lives of thousands of patients waiting for a heart transplant. The device offers patients quality of life and mobility thanks to its ergonomic and portable external power supply system that is continuously connected to the implanted prosthesis. Aeson® is commercially available as a bridge to transplant in the European Union and other countries that recognize CE marking. Aeson® is also currently being assessed within the framework of an Early Feasibility Study (EFS) in the United States. Founded in 2008, CARMAT is based in the Paris region, with its head offices located in Vélizy-Villacoublay and its production site in Bois-d'Arcy. The Company can rely on the talent and expertise of a multidisciplinary team of circa 200 highly specialized people. CARMAT is listed on the Euronext Growth market in Paris (Ticker: ALCAR / ISIN code: FR0010907956).

For more information, please go to www.carmatsa.com and follow us on LinkedIn.

<sup>1 «</sup> Appel d'Offres (recherche de repreneurs ou d'investisseurs »)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> « Redressement judiciaire »

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> « Tribunal des Affaires Economiques de Versailles (France) »



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Readers' attention is particularly drawn to the fact that the Company is currently placed in receivership (opened on July 1, 2025) and is facing a very high risk of default, including in the very short term. The Company is also exposed to other risks and uncertainties, such as its ability to implement its strategy, the pace of development of its production and sales, the progress and results of ongoing or planned clinical trials, technological developments, the competitive landscape, regulatory changes, industrial risks, and all risks related to the management of the Company's growth. Forward-looking statements mentioned in this press release may not be achieved due to these factors or other unknown risks and uncertainties, or risks that the Company does not currently consider to be material or specific.

Aeson® is an active implantable medical device commercially available in the European Union and other countries recognising the CE mark. The Aeson® total artificial heart is intended to replace the ventricles of the native heart and is indicated as a bridge to transplant in patients with end-stage biventricular heart failure (Intermacs classes 1-4) who cannot benefit from maximal medical therapy or a left ventricular assist device (LVAD) and who are likely to benefit from a heart transplant within 180 days of implantation. The decision to implant and the surgical procedure must be carried out by healthcare professionals trained by the manufacturer. The documentation (clinician's manual, patient's manual and alarm booklet) must be read carefully to learn about the characteristics of Aeson® and the information required for patient selection and proper use (contraindications, precautions, side effects) of Aeson®. In the United States, Aeson® is currently only available as part of a feasibility clinical trial approved by the Food & Drug Administration (FDA).